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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Breda M. Cullen et al.

Title : WOUND DRESSING MATERIALS COMPRISING COMPLEXES OF
ANIONIC POLYSACCHARIDES WITH SILVER

Commissioner for Patents
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendment to the Specification begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.